

# Fall Breed & Dressage Show @ MAPLEWOOD WARMBLOODS <u>Qualifying Event for:</u>

2022 USEF Children Dressage National Championship
2022 USEF Pony Rider Dressage National Championship
2022 Adequan® /USEF Junior Dressage National Championship
2022 Horseware Ireland/USEF Young Rider Dressage National Championship
- 2022 Adequan®/USEF Young Adult Brentina Cup Dressage National Championship
- 2022 Markel/USEF Young and Developing Horse Dressage National Championships
- 2022 FEI World Breeding Championships for Young Horses in Dressage (Five, Six, and Seven Year Olds)

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Entry Open Date: June 1, 2022
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Entry Close Date: July 9, 2022

# PERFORMANCE CLASSES - Saturday / Sunday

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304/404.	Training Level Test 1	AA, Jr/Yr, Open	Sat/Sun
305/405.	Training Level Test 2	AA, Jr/Yr, Open/BLM Qualifying	Sat/Sun
306/406.	*Training Level Test 3	AA, Jr/Yr, Open/GAIG/USDF Qualifying*	Sat/Sun
307/407.	First Level Test 1	AA, Jr/Yr, Open	Sat/Sun
308/408.	First Level Test 2	AA, Jr/Yr, Open/BLM Qualifying	Sat/Sun
309/409.	*First Level Test 3	AA, Jr/Yr, Open/GAIG/USDF Qualifying*	Sat/Sun
310/410.	Second Level Test 1	AA, Jr/Yr, Open	Sat/Sun
311/411.	Second Level Test 2	AA, Jr/Yr, Open/BLM Qualifying	Sat/Sun
312/412.	*Second Level Test 3	AA, Jr/Yr, Open/GAIG/USDF Qual*	Sat/Sun
313/413.	Third Level Test 1	AA, Jr/Yr, Open	Sat/Sun
314/414.	Third Level Test 2	AA, Jr/Yr, Open/BLM Qualifying	Sat/Sun
315/415.	*Third Level Test 3	AA, Jr/Yr, Open/GAIG/USDF Qualifying*	Sat/Sun
316/416.	Fourth Level Test 1	AA, Jr/Yr, Open	Sat/Sun
317/417.	Fourth Level Test 2	AA, Jr/Yr Open/BLM Qualifying	Sat/Sun
318/418.	*Fourth Level Test 3	AA, Jr/Yr, Open/GAIG/USDF Qualifying*	Sat/Sun
319/419.	*FEI/USEF Test of Choice	Open, GAIG/USDF Qualifying*	Sat/Sun
320/420.	FEI Prix St. Georges	AA, Open/Jr.Yr./GAIG/USDF Qualifying*	Sat/Sun
321/421.	FEI Intermediate I	AA, Open/Jr.Yr./GAIG/USDF Qualifying*	Sat/Sun
322/422.	FEI Intermediate II	AA, Open/Jr.Yr./GAIG/USDF Qualifying*	Sat/Sun
		I-II USEF Qualifying for the Brentina Cup	
323/423.	FEI Grand Prix	AA, Open/Jr.Yr./GAIG/USDF Qualifying*	Sat/Sun
324/424	FEI Grand Prix Special	AA, Open	Sat/Sun
325	Young Horse Test of Choice	AA, Open	
326/426.	***USEF 4yo Test	AA, Open	Sat/Sun
328/	**FEI 5yo Preliminary Dressage		Sat
/428	****FEI Dressage Test for 5-Yea		/Sun
328/	**FEI Preliminary Dressage Tes		Sat
/428	****FEI Dressage Test for 6-Yea		/Sun
329/	**FEI Seven Year-Old Prelin	ninary Tests	Sat/
/429	**FEI Seven Year-Old Final Tes		/Sun
330/430	***FEI Developing PSG AA, Op		Sat/Sun
331/431	***FEI Developing GP AA, Op	pen	Sat/Sun
332/	Young Rider Team	GAIG/USDF *	Sat
/432	Young Rider Individual	USEF/NAJYRC	/Sun
333/	FEI Junior Rider Team	GAIG/USDF*	Sat
/437	FEI Junior Rider Individual	USEF/NAJYRC	/Sun
/438	FEI Junior Freestyle	USEF/NAJYRC	/Sun
/439	Young Rider Freestyle	USEF/NAJYRC	, /Sun
334/434	USDF/FEI Freestyle TOC	GAIG/USDF Qualifying*	Sat/Sun
335/	FEI Children's Team	Qualifying Children Dressage National Championship	Sat
/435	FEI Children's Individual	Qualifying Children Dressage National Championship	/Sun
336/	FEI Pony Team	Qualifying USEF Pony Rider Dressage National Championship	Sat
/436	FEI Pony Individual	Qualifying USEF Pony Rider Dressage National Championship	/Sun
340/440	FEI Grand Prix 16-25	USEF Qualifying	Sat/Sun
341/441	Materiale – 3/4/5 Year Old Fill		Sat/Sun
342/442	Materiale – 3/4/5 Year Old Col		Sat/Sun
343/443	Dressage Seat Equitation	, , ,	Sat/Sun
344	FEI Prix St. Georges	USEF Intermediare I GAIG/USDF*	Sat
/444	FEI Intermediate I Test	USEF Intermediare I GAIG/USDF*	/Sun
345	FEI Grand Prix Test	USEF Grand Prix USEF GAIG/USDF*	Sat
/445	FEI Grand Prix Special Test	USEF Grand Prix USEF GAIG/USDF*	/Sun
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YH Tests - (Updated 2012), All TOC classes must state which test on entry. \*Add \$15 if class is to be a GAIG/USDF Qualifying class

<sup>\*\*</sup>WBC Qualifying

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Markel Qualifying only on Sunday. \*\*\*\*Markel & WBC Qualifying

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

## **LEVELS**

Every class offered herein which is covered by the rules and specifications of the current USEF Rule Book will be conducted and judged in accordance therewith. Management reserves right to combine, divide, or cancel any class, except as limited by this Prize List. There will be a lunch break and separate breaks as judge requires.

#### **AWARDS**

6 ribbons will be presented in each class except in championship classes. Additional awards at show and USDF/EF discretion possible for the YH classes and FEI classes.

## **ENTRIES**

An entry is a Rider / Handler with Horse combination. Each Entry requires a separate Entry Form. A separate Bridle Number is issued to each Entry. It is the riders responsibility to have the correct number on prior to entering the ring.

# **DEFINITION OF SHOW FEES**

Training through Fourth Level	\$45
All Freestyles	\$60
FEI, Developing, Young Horse classes (any 2 judge class)	\$100
Stabling/Tack stall anytime Fri-Sunday	\$225
Shavings	\$10
Camper Hook-Up (electric only)	\$100/duration
Drug Fee	\$23 (\$8 Drug & Med fee, \$15 USEF fee)
Non-Compete Horse Fee	\$50
USEF Non-member fee	\$45
USDF Non-member fee	\$35
Office Fee per show	\$35
Reprocess Fee	\$35
Post (Late)Entry Fee	\$50 per entry
Stabling Scratch Fee	\$225
Non-negotiable check	\$35

stopping the spread of diseases to other competitors and especially young horses.

#### **ENTRY FORMS**

Remit Entries via mail to Show Secretary ONLY – Show Manager cannot process your entry. All entries MUST submit USEF and USDF documents for handler/rider, owner, and horse, a drug fee, and non-refundable office fee. Every horse (except foals under 6 months) must supply non-returnable copy of Negative coggins that has been done within 12 months of show date. In accordance with USEF Rule GR845, please include proof of Equine Influenza Virus and Equine Herpes Virus (Rhino-pneumonitis) vaccinations within 6 months prior to the date of the show. Competitors must be in good financial standing with MWW prior to entry acceptance. No exceptions. It is STRONGLY recommended that you have your horses up-to-date on all vaccinations and deworming for this region. We also request that competitors take their horses temperature PRIOR to leaving your facility. This is a breeding farm, and a show facility for the weekend. We need everyone to do their due diligence and take personal responsibility in

# INCOMPLETE OR LATE ENTRIES

No refunds for competitor entry errors for any reason. Show Secretary reserves the right to delay processing of any incomplete Entry Form(s) until all required information (including required breed registration documentation), signatures and payment are complete. Incomplete Entry Forms may thereby lose priority for "first come, first serve" processing mentioned in this prize list; they may fall onto Wait List; they may be required to pay late fees (per the above table) at the point Entry Form is complete; they may lose priority for stabling. "First come / first serve" policies may be applied depending on point at which Entry Form is complete, not point at which Entry Form is received by Show Secretary. An entry is considered "post entry" at midnight July 9, 2022 and will incur a \$50 fee (per show, per entry) after that time to enter the show.

## **PAYMENT WITH ENTRY**

Entry form will not be processed without full payment. We are accepting online entries (No fee) via horseshowoffice.com. Check, or cc are accepted there. You can also snail mail to secretary. Make checks out to Maplewood Warmbloods; checks (including those on Wait List) will be deposited upon receipt. Competitor is responsible for non-negotiable check fees of \$35.

#### **COMMUNICATION WITH COMPETITORS**

The Maplewood Warmbloods website (<a href="www.maplewoodwarmbloods.com">www.maplewoodwarmbloods.com</a>) will be used to keep show competitors informed by posting show as it is filling and after scheduling when times are set. Check under the "news" page.

Entries confirmations will be emailed. Check all information carefully and notify Entry Secretary immediately of errors. No guarantee of show reporting corrections and additional information given after Closing Date but we certainly will do our best.

Written Notification consists of: (1) notification to Show Secretary (preferred) or Show Manager by email <u>and</u> (2) reply by email or fax from Show Secretary or Show Manager. <u>No changes or refunds will be processed without both</u> (1) and (2) above. Keep your paperwork. To be safe send all written communications to both Show Secretary and Show Manager.

Ride times will be emailed to competitors. A preliminary schedule will be emailed and posted on <a href="https://www.maplewoodwarmbloods.com">www.maplewoodwarmbloods.com</a> by the end of the day Wednesday, Ju37 13th. Ride times will be final at noon on Friday July 15th and will be updated on the website.

Class test scanned copies will be emailed to rider and owner. Awards can be picked up from the secretaries office during the show. Awards not picked up at the show will not be mailed to competitor. Competitor forfeits awards not picked up. If you are not available, have a friend pick them up.

# **CHANGES / REFUNDS**

Scratches may be only done by:

- (1) Forfeiting the Time Slot = no refund.
- (2) Adds may be only done by: Filling an available Time Slot or placement on Wait List, in either case by paying full entry fee. In addition, any Change or Add that requires issuance of new Bridle Number will be charged a reprocess fee of \$35 (on or before Close Date) or \$85 (after close Date (\$35 plus post entry fee \$50).

Any refund monies will be mailed after show to the person and address listed as Owner on Entry. Full refunds, except for Office Fee & stabling scratch fee available through Closing Date only with Written Notification (email, fax, US mail) to Show Secretary (with preferably copy to Show Manager) and with written receipt from Secretary. There will be no refunds of any kind after Closing Date midnight for any reason. No refunds for expulsion from show; elimination from class(es). No refunds for competitor error(s). No refunds for personal reasons or situations. No refunds for cancellation of Event, portion(s) of Event and / or class(es) for any reason including (but not exclusively) situations resulting from: grounds (or portion of grounds) unavailable / unusable to Maplewood Warmbloods show management for any reason; inclement weather; Acts of God; local / national emergency, or act(s) of terrorism.

## **STABLING**

A limited number of permanent 12 x 12 stalls with doors available additional (unlimited amount) SAFE temporary 10x10 stabling with doors in permanent building. No cleaning deposit required. Tack stalls available. Stabling will be open to dressage competitors Friday 1pm. We are here to help make your competition a successful one. Horses must vacate the facility by 9:00 PM on Sunday. Make arrangements with farm management if you need to be outside these hours. YOU ARE FINANCIALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DAMAGE YOU, YOUR DOG, YOUR KIDS, YOUR HUSBAND, YOUR WIFE, OR YOUR HORSE CAUSES TO THE FACILITY AND OR LEASED/RENTED ASSETS. ©

# STABLING RULES AND INFORMATION

Power (110V/240V only) is available. All electrical cords must be 12 gauge, 3-wire negative ground with connections conforming to state and county codes. No cords to be run across driveways or walkways or where horses & people will be walking. No Class I Flammable Liquids such as gasoline are NOT allowed inside any buildings or tents neither on the grounds, nor anywhere (inside or outside buildings) in the stabling areas. **There is absolutely no smoking or burning of any kind allowed on the property – no exceptions!** No gas, electric or propane heaters, tanks or hot plates (inside or outside buildings) are allowed in the stabling areas. Sharps boxes will be located in stabling area per USEF requirements.

No bedding, dishes, buckets etc will be provided. Shavings can be purchased on-site for \$10 per bag. Night watch will be provided 6:00 PM until 6:00 AM at show expense.

#### OTHER INFORMATION

\*\*This is a private farm. <u>Please</u> be respectful of the premises including its buildings, facilities, and grounds. There will be no motorized vehicles (ie. Motorcycles, golf carts, quads, go carts, etc). Electric Golf Carts are acceptable provided the driver has a valid license (See GR901.29). Handicapped wheelchairs are exempt. No one without a driver's license permitted to drive any vehicle on the premises. Please clean up after yourselves, be respective of other competitors and people on the site. If there's anything that can be done to make your show weekend more enjoyable please do not hesitate to ask a MWW representative (they will have MWW apparel on). Please have a great weekend full of fun, safety, honesty, respectfulness, and friendly competition. Please accept our sincere appreciation for your attendance. Good luck!\*\*

ACCOMODATIONS - See MWW Website for special event rates at local hotels.

\*\*On-Site RV Hook-Ups (<u>Electrical only</u>) available for \$100/duration Limited Availability. Contact show secretary asap to reserve.

#### DIRECTIONS

MWW can be located on maps.google.com at 460 Bart Bull Rd. Middletown, NY 10941. I-84 to Middletown (HW 211) to Goshen Turnpike. Left on Stony Ford. Right on Bart Bull. From I-87 Harriman Exit to Goshen Exit 24 (hw 207) Left on Stony Ford Rd. to right on Bart Bull Rd. Please use <a href="https://www.maps.google.com">www.maps.google.com</a> as your map web service.

#### **FOOTING**

Dressage Shows will be held solely in the outdoor arena. The outdoor arena footing and on-deck area are stonedust. Competition ring is 200' x 300'. The indoor arena may be used for dressage show warm-up. Indoor arena footing is engineered dust free footing. **BE RESPECTFUL OF THE FOOTING BY NOT MASHING IN POOP. PLEASE PICK AS QUICKLY AS YOU CAN.** There is no lunging in the indoor arena. Please use round pen or contact staff for field lunging.

#### **HOSPITALITY & VENDORS**

Food and vendors available on site with a large selection of <u>very good quality food</u> and beverage. Please support them!!!

**VET & FARRIER -** Veterinarian and Farrier will be on-call throughout the competition. Access numbers posted at Headquarters and stabling areas.

# ADMISSION TO EVENT

Limited spectators welcome! No auditor admission fees. You must however, be in good standing with MWW and/or the USDF/USEF to audit or enter and be on the premises.

**SAFESPORT REMINDER:** All USEF Life and Senior Active members, as well as participants who have regular contact with minor athletes, are required to comply with the U.S. Center for SafeSport training requirement to be eligible to participate in the competition. All participants must adhere to the U.S. Center for SafeSport Code, USEF Safe Sport Policy, and the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies. More information about these can be found at <a href="https://www.usef.org">www.usef.org</a>.

**DR120.1.1 PROTECTIVE HEADGEAR.** Protective headgear is defined as a riding helmet, which meets or exceeds current ASTM (American Society for Testing and Materials)/SEI (Safety Equipment Institute) standards for equestrian use and carries the SEI tag. From the time horses are officially admitted to the competition grounds by competition management, anyone mounted on a horse at any time on the competition grounds, including non-competing riders, riders on non-competing horses, mounted participants in exhibition classes, and those competing in all classes and tests, including Para Dressage tests, must wear protective headgear as defined by this rule and otherwise in compliance with GR801. The harness must be secured and properly fitted. Any rider violating this rule at any time must immediately be prohibited from further riding until the headgear is properly in place. Protective headgear may be the same as or a coordinating color with the coat, and may include contrast coloring, accent, and crystal decoration. See DR136 for dress code rules for exhibitions.

## **MEMBERSHIP STATEMENT:**

Life, senior active and junior active members shall be eligible to participate in all classes at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions at the Modified Level or above and Combined Driving Competitions at the Advanced Level, Dressage, Reining and Vaulting Competitions and Endurance Rides. A nonmember may participate as a handler, rider, driver, owner, lessee, agent, coach or trainer at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions, Dressage Competitions, Reining Competitions and Combined Driving Competitions upon payment of a \$45 Show Pass fee. Participants in the following classes are exempted from the Requirements of this rule: 1) leadline; 2) exhibitions; 3) games and races; 4) classes for 4-H members; 5) walk trot (exception:

Friesian performance FR222) and academy classes (academy classes are classes limited to horses used regularly in a lesson program); 6) USDF introductory level tests, pas de deux and quadrille classes; 7) NRHA Endorsed Reining Competitions. 8) Opportunity classes, 9) citizens of other nations who have proof, in English, of current membership in good standing of their own National Federation, 10) USEA beginner novice division; and 11) assistant handlers in Dressage Sport Horse Breeding classes.

## **MOTORIZED VEHICLES:**

Minors who do not have a valid driver's license which allows them to operate a motorized vehicle in the state in which they reside will not be permitted to operate a motorized vehicle of any kind, including, but not limited to, golf carts, motorcycles, scooters, or farm utility vehicles, on the competition grounds of licensed competitions. Minors who have a valid temporary license may operate the above-described motorized vehicles as long as they are accompanied by an adult with a valid driver's license. The parent/legal guardian or individual who signs the entry blank as a parent or guardian of a minor operating a motorized vehicle in violation of this rule are solely responsible for any damages, claims, losses or actions resulting from that operation. Violations of this rule will be cause for penalties against those responsible for the child committing the offense. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule. The unsafe use of personal electronic transport devices, as determined by the competition officials and management in their sole discretion, that do not require a driver's license to operate, including but not limited to segways, hover boards, and single wheeled scooters is prohibited on competition grounds. Operating such devices in areas where people gather may be deemed "unsafe use" if there is a risk of harm to others. If the operator of the device is a minor, the parent/legal guardian or individual who signs the entry blank as a parent or guardian of a minor operating the device in violation of this rule is accountable and may be subject to penalties. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule.

# **USDF** Statement on Animal Welfare

The United States Dressage Federation, Inc. (USDF), a federation of over 100 independent organizations throughout the United States with a member-ship of nearly 30,000 members, supports the concept of ethical treatment of animals.

Dressage is a classical method of training horses, based upon the horse's natural responses, as carried out in a gradual, planned program during which the horse's athletic abilities are improved in a systematic manner. As a result, the horse becomes capable, comfortable, and responsive in partnership with the rider without the use of force. Dressage competition at various levels of achievement is the ultimate test of the training program to determine whether the desired harmony between horse and rider has been achieved.

The rules pertaining to dressage competition prohibit the use of artificial appliances, training aids, and drugs, which would force the horse to submit. Instead, the emphasis is upon training and a cooperative partnership with the rider. Major competitions are carefully monitored to assure that there is no unnecessary force or harshness displayed.

Unlike other horse sports in which horses enter training at a relatively immature state, dressage training is usually not seriously begun until the horse is three or four. The top levels of achievement require five or more years of progressive training and it is not unusual to see horses in international competition in their late teens. This, in itself, places a premium on good care and soundness throughout the horse's life.

While supporting the concept of animal welfare in its broadest form, the United States Dressage Federation, Inc., also recognizes that it is unrealistic to ascribe human emotions and responses to the horse which in its wild state is a creature of flight, living a hard and precarious existence. Under domestication, the horse is assured of ample food, water, and shelter, as well as protection against infectious diseases and damaging parasites, thus leading a longer and healthier life with a high rate of survival.

As an educational organization, USDF has numerous programs, which teach people how to pursue the accepted, humane training methods. A program of certifying instructors also emphasizes protecting the horse's welfare in pursuit of dressage training.

United States Dressage Federation
4051 Iron Works Parkway, Lexington, KY 40511
Phone: 859-971-2277, Fax: 859-971-7722, usdressage@usdf.org, www.usdf.org

# **ATTENTION COMPETITORS**

Each competitor is responsible for supplying management with correct applicable numbers (USDF and USEF) for horse, owner, rider, and trainer, before the day(s) of the competition.

The scores of competitors who fail to supply correct numbers may not be counted toward national awards.



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usef.org/safe-sport/reporting 859-225-6915 <u>USDF Membership Benefits:</u> USDF is dedicated to education, the recognition of achievement, and promotion of dressage. For details on member benefits, including educational programs, awards, and other opportunities, refer to the *USDF Member Guide* or the USDF website at www.usdf.org.

This competition is recognized by USDF for 2022

Membership Requirements for USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized Competitions: Owners and riders, including foreign riders and owners who are not residents of the US, wishing to participate in a USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competition as a rider or owner/lessee, must have either a USDF Group Membership (GM), Participating Membership (PM), or have a USDF Non-Member (NM) identification number and pay the USDF Non-Member (NM) fee. (Note: USDF Business Members can own horses but cannot compete as riders with their USDF Business Membership.)

Horses competing at USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competitions must have either a USDF Horse Identification (HID) number or a USDF Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR). Proper credentials or verification certificates must be presented to the competition secretary.

Riders and owners wishing to participate in a USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competition, and not able to present the competition secretary with verification of a USDF membership or NM identification, and USDF LHR or USDF HID, must complete a USDF Competition Affidavit Form and pay the \$5 affidavit filing fee. A copy of a completed affidavit form from another competition may also be used for verification purposes for up to 60 days. (Exception: Affidavits cannot be used at Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Dressage Championships.)

# Exceptions:

- Horses competing only in Individual Breed Classes (IBCs) at DSHB competitions, sires and dams of horses in DSHB group classes, where those
  sires or dams are not actually competing in the same competition, horses competing only in breed restricted dressage or DSHB classes at
  Regular Competitions (e.g. all Arabian, all Friesian, or all Morgan classes), or in USDF Introductory Level tests, pas de deux or quadrille, are
  exempt from this requirement. Also exempt are horses ridden in leadline, exhibitions, games and races, classes for 4-H members, walk-trot,
  academy, and opportunity classes.
- Riders and owners/lessees competing only in classes which are exempt from the USDF HID requirements are also exempt from the USDF NM
  identification number and NM fee requirements. Also exempt are handlers of horses competing in DSHB In-Hand or Group classes.

# Memberships Defined

Participating Membership (PM): A membership issued to an individual directly by USDF. The membership year is December 1 through November 30. PMs are available for 1-year (\$90), 5-years (\$360), or life (\$1,800). A USDF Youth Participating Membership (YPM) is available for individuals who have not reached their 21st birthday by December 1 of the current membership year (\$72). A PM allows the member to compete at USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competitions and to participate as a rider and/or owner/lessee for all Adequan\*/USDF Year-End Awards and the Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Dressage Championship program.

**Group Membership (GM):** A membership issued to an individual by USDF when the member name and dues are submitted to USDF through an affiliate Group Member Organization (GMO). The GM year begins December 1 and ends November 30. A GM allows the member to compete at USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competitions and participate in the USDF Rider Awards Program and the USDF Regional Schooling Show Awards Program. **Business Membership (BM):** A membership that runs December 1 through November 30 and is issued to a business or organization directly by USDF. The USDF BM (\$240) offers a wider variety of advertising benefits. BMs satisfy requirements of horse ownership only.

Non-Member (NM) Identification Number: For each USDF NM owner/lessee and USDF NM rider there will be a USDF NM fee of \$35 per competition that must be collected by the show secretary and submitted to USDF, along with the USDF Report of Fees document and the \$5 affidavit fee and Competition Affidavit Form if the person cannot provide a copy of their USDF NM card. Owners/lessees or riders exempt from the NM number requirements are also exempt from paying the USDF NM fee. If there are multiple owners of a horse and all are NMs, only one of the owners must pay the NM fee. If the horse has at least one owner who is a current USDF PM, GM, or BM there is no NM fee assessed. Competition management will be invoiced for all applicable USDF NM fees not received with the USDF post-competition paperwork, along with a report listing all USDF NMs. Competition management is then required to submit the NM fees within 30 days to the USDF. An individual with a USDF NM identification number is not eligible for any USDF membership benefits. Once a USDF NM number has been assigned, a USDF NM card can be obtained from the USDF website.

Horse Identification (HID) Number: A one-time tracking number for horses (\$35). Scores earned by a horse with an HID number will be recorded, but will NOT be counted towards Adequan®/USDF Year-End Awards. A horse with an HID number is not eligible to compete in Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional qualifying or championship classes. An HID number can be upgraded to a Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR) for a fee of \$80. If a horse has a USDF LHR it does not need an HID number. An HID number is a one-time fee that does not need to be renewed.

**Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR):** A horse with an LHR (\$115) is eligible for Adequan\*/USDF Year-End Awards, and eligible to compete in Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional qualifying and championship classes, assuming requirements for the owner and rider are met. If a horse has an LHR it does not need an HID number. An LHR does not need to be renewed.

#### How to Join USDF

Applications for USDF Participating Membership (PM), Business Membership (BM), Horse Identification (HID) number, and Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR) may be found in the following locations:

- On the USDF website: www.usdf.org. You can submit the application online or download the form and fax or mail it to the USDF office.
- In the show office at USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competitions classified by USEF as Dressage Competitions, and Regular Competitions which are open to all breeds.
- By calling or writing the USDF office at (859) 971-2277, 4051 Iron Works Parkway, Lexington, KY 40511

The effective date of membership is the date the form and correct fees are received in the USDF office or, if applying at a competition, the date accepted by the competition secretary, provided the application is signed and dated by the competition secretary, member, and/or horse owner on that same day.



# 2022 Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Dressage Championships

A single Regional Dressage Championship program organized by the United States Dressage Federation (USDF), and recognized by the United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. (USEF), will be held in each of the nine USDF regions. In addition, Alaska and Hawaii may each hold state championships if an official request from a Group Member Organization (GMO) is received by April 1 of the prior year. The Regional Championship Program Rules can be found on the USDF website at <a href="https://www.usdf.org">www.usdf.org</a>. Please refer to the 2022 USDF Member Guide for the comprehensive list of rules and requirements for this program.

#### Membership/Registration Requirements for Qualifying and Championships

All memberships and registrations/recordings must be correct and current at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.

#### Rider:

- Must have a USDF Participating\* Membership (PM).
- Must have a USEF membership (Active or Life).

#### Horse:

- Must have a USDF Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR).
- Must have a USEF (Annual or Lifetime) Horse Recording.
- USDF horse registration and USEF horse recording must be in the name(s) of the current owner(s) or lessee(s). A horse is not required to have breed registry papers.

#### Owner:

- Must have a USDF Participating or Business Membership and a USEF membership (Junior Active, Senior Active, Life, or Recorded Farm (with Active Farm Owner)). If the horse has more than one owner, at least one owner must have both active USEF membership and active USDF Participating or Business Membership and must be the owner of record with USEF and USDF. For a business or farm to be the valid owner under this requirement, it must be listed as an owner of the horse with both USEF and USDF.
- \* PMs are USDF members who join USDF directly. USDF Group Members (GM) are ineligible.

**Minimum Qualifying Scores:** One set of nationally-standardized qualifying scores has been established for all USEF/USDF Regional Championships, for Training Level through Grand Prix, in three divisions: open, adult amateur and junior/young rider. FEI Junior and FEI Young Rider classes have only one respective division. Freestyles have only open divisions.

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The minimum percentages are as follows:

	OPEN	AA	JR/YR
Training Level (Test 3)	68%	63%	63%
First Level (Test 3)	66%	62%	62%
Second Level (Test 3)	64%	61%	61%
Third Level (Test 3)	62%	60%	60%
Fourth Level (Test 3)	62%	60%	60%
FEI Junior (Team Test)	_	_	60%
FEI Young Rider (Team Test)	<del>-</del>	_	60%
Prix St. Georges	62%	60%	60%
Intermediate I	62%	60%	60%
Intermediate II	62%	60%	60%
Grand Prix	60%	60%	60%
FREESTYLE	OPEN	AA	JR/YR
First Level	65%	_	_
Second Level	65%	_	_
Third Level	65%	_	_
Fourth Level	65%	_	_
Intermediate I	65%	_	_
Grand Prix	65%	_	_

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Is Rider/Driver/Vaulter a U.S. Citizen: \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_ No

I hereby agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless USDF, its instructors, officers, directors, agents, and volunteers from and against any and all loss, liability or damage arising from or because of, or in connection with, participation in this competition or related activities. I also hereby agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless the competition licensee, show management, competition staff, show committee and members, officers, directors, agents, and volunteers from and against any and all loss, liability or damage arising from or because of, or in connection with, participation in this competition or related activities.

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Vaulter or Longeur and on behalf of myself and my principals, representate of The United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. (the "Federation") and the bound by the Bylaws and Rules of the Federation and of the competition. I under the Rules, and agree to release and hold harmless the competition, the Rules. I represent that I am eligible to enter and/or participate under the a condition of and in consideration of acceptance of entry, the Federation casts, broadcasts, internet, film, new media or other likenesses of me and or benefit of the competition, sport, or the Federation. Those likenesses she to jeopardize amateur status. I hereby expressly and irrevocably waive and	ak as the Owner, Lessee, Trainer, Manager, Agent, Coach, Driver, Rider, Handler, Lives, employees and agents, I agree that I am subject to the Bylaws and Rules e local rules of
USEF Safe Sport Policy and Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies (MAA	be bound by all applicable Federation Bylaws, rules, and policies including the PP) as published at www.usef.org, as amended from time to time, as well as all his Agreement electronically, I acknowledge that my electronic signature shall y own hand.
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For and in consideration of United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. dba US Equestrian ("USEF") allowing me, the undersigned, to participate in any capacity (including as a rider, driver, handler, vaulter, longeur, lessee, owner, agent, coach, official, trainer or volunteer) in a USEF sanctioned, licensed or approved event or activity, including but not limited to equestrian clinics, practices, shows, competitions and related or incidental activities and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_("USEF Event" or "USEF Events"); I, for myself, and on behalf of my spouse, children, heirs and next of kin, and any legal and personal representatives, executors, administrators, successors,, and assigns, hereby agree to and make the following contractual representations pursuant to this Agreement (the "Agreement"):

A. RULES AND REGULATIONS: I hereby agree that I have read, understand, and agree to be bound by all applicable Federation Bylaws, rules, and policies including the USEF Safe Sport Policy and Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies as published at www.usef.org, as amended from time to time.

B. ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK: I knowingly, willingly, and voluntarily acknowledge the inherent risks associated with the sport of equestrian and know that horseback riding and related equestrian activities are inherently dangerous, and that participation in any USEF Event involves risks and dangers including, without limitation, the potential for serious bodily injury (including broken bones, head or neck injuries), sickness and disease (including communicable diseases), trauma, pain & suffering, permanent disability, paralysis and death; loss of or damage to personal property (including my mount & equipment) arising out of the unpredictable behavior of horses; exposure to extreme conditions and circumstances; accidents involving other participants, event staff, volunteers or spectators; contact or collision with other participants and horses, natural or manmade objects; adverse weather conditions; facilities issues and premises conditions; failure of protective equipment (including helmets); inadequate safety measures; participants of varying skill levels; situations beyond the immediate control of the USEF Event organizers and competition management; and other undefined, not readily foreseeable and presently unknown risks and dangers ("Risks").

#### WARNING:

HORSEBACK RIDING AND EQUINE ACTIVITIES CAN BE DANGEROUS. RIDE AT YOUR OWN RISK. Under the laws New York, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional may not liable for any injury to, or the death of, a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities. See SECTION 18-301-303 OF THE GENERAL OBLIGATIONS LAW.

C. ASSUMPTION OF RISK: I understand that the aforementioned Risks may be caused in whole or in part or result directly or indirectly from the negligence of my own actions or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the USEF Events, or the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties defined below, and I hereby voluntarily and knowingly assume all such Risks and responsibility for any damages, liabilities, losses, or expenses that I incur as a result of my participation in any USEF Events. I also agree to be responsible for any injury or damage caused by me, my horse, my employees or contractors under my direction and control at any USEF Event.

D. WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY, HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNITY: In conjunction with my participation in any USEF Event, I hereby release, waive and covenant not to sue, and further agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the following parties: USEF, USEF Recognized Affiliate Associations, the United States Olympic & Paralympic Committee (USOPC), USEF clubs, members, Event participants (including athletes/riders, coaches, trainers, judges/officials, and other personnel), the Event owner, licensee, and competition managers; the promoters, sponsors, or advertisers of any USEF Event; any charity or other beneficiary which may benefit from the USEF Event; the owners, managers, or lessors of any facilities or premises where a USEF Event may be held; and all directors, officers, employees, agents, contractors, and volunteers of any of the aforementioned parties (Individually and Collectively, the "Released Parties" or "Event Organizers"), with respect to any liability, claim(s), demand(s), cause(s) of action, damage(s), loss, or expense (including court costs and reasonable attorney fees) of any kind or nature ("Liability") which may arise out of, result from, or relate in any way to my participation in the USEF Events, including claims for Liability caused in whole or in part by the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties.

E. COMPLETE AGREEMENT AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE: This Agreement represents the complete understanding between the parties regarding these issues and no oral representations, statements or inducements have been made apart from this Agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be unlawful, void, or for any reason unenforceable, then that provision shall be deemed severable from this Agreement and shall not affect the validity and enforceability of any remaining provisions.

I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS DOCUMENT IN ITS ENTIRETY, UNDERSTAND ALL OF ITS TERMS AND CONDITIONS, AND KNOW IT CONTAINS AN ASSUMPTION OF RISK, RELEASE AND WAIVER FROM LIABILITY, AS WELL AS A HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFICATION OBLIGATIONS.

By signing below, that I have read, understand, and agree to be bound by all applicable Federation Bylaws, rules, and policies including the USEF Safe Sport Policy and Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies as published at www.usef.org, as amended from time to time, as well as all terms and provisions of this Prize List. If, despite this Agreement, I, or anyone on my behalf or the minor's behalf, makes a claim for Liability against any of the Released Parties, I will indemnify, defend and hold harmless each of the Released Parties from any such Liabilities as the result of such claim.

The parties agree that this agreement may be electronically signed. The parties agree that the electronic signatures appearing on this agreement are the same as handwritten signatures for the purposes of validity, enforceability, and admissibility.

☐ RIDER/DRIVER/HANDLER/VAULTER/LONGEUR ☐ OWNER ☐ TRAIN	ER 🗌 OFFICIAL 🗌 STAFF 🗌 VOLUNTEER	COACH (IF APPLICABLE)
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